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Dear Mr. Abrishamkar,

As requested, please find enclosed our response dated September 20, 2004 to the Office Action mailed May 21, 2004. Also enclosed is the successful confirmation report indicating to us that our response was submitted to the USPTO on September 20, 2004.

If you require anything further, please let us know.

Yours very truly,

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<b>COMBINED AMENDMENT &amp; PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)</b>					Docket No. 77666-8 /slb	
In Re Application Of: <b>GLENN LANGFORD</b>						
Application No. 09/746,015	Filing Date 12/26/00	Examiner KAVEH ABRISHAMKAR	Customer No. 07380	Group Art Unit 2131	Confirmation No. 2269	
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*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month      ☐ Two months      ☐ Three months      ☐ Four months      ☐ Five months

from: August 21, 2004 until: September 21, 2004  
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Dated: September 20, 2004

  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of May 21, 2004, please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.